

STATEMENT UNDER 42 USC 2182
(Atomic Energy Research and development)

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- 1./ That I (We) made and conceived the invention described and claimed in patent Application Serial Number 09/992608 filed in the United States of America on November 19, 2001 Entitled "PROCESS AND DEVICE FOR CHECKING FORCES APPLIED ON A FUEL ASSEMBLY IN A TRANSPORT CONTAINER"
- 2./ That I (We) made and conceived this invention while employed by **COMPAGNIE GENERALE DES MATIERES NUCLEAIRES** (Employer);
- 3./ That the invention is related to the work I am (We are) employed to perform and was made within the scope of my (our) employment duties ;
- 4./ That the invention was made during working hours and with the use of facilities, equipment, materials, funds, information and services of my (our) aforesaid Employer ;
- 5./ That other relevant facts surrounding the making and conceiving of the invention are **NONE**

6./ That I (We) believe, on the basis of information provided by **Richard COMPEYRON** Chief of Juridical Department of **COMPAGNIE GENERALE DES MATIERES NUCLEAIRES**

that the invention or discovery was not made or conceived in the course of, or in connection with, or under the terms of any contract, subcontract or arrangement entered into with or for the benefit of the United States Atomic Energy Commissioner or its successors : Atomic Energy Research and Development Administration or the Department of energy.

- 7./ Each undersigned inventor(s) declare further that all statements made herein of his or her own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true, and further that these statements are made with the knowledge that willfull false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willfull false statements may jeopardize that validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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